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Application Serial No. 09/627,372 for METHOD  
AND SYSTEM FOR PROVIDING NATIVE PHASE  
SELECTION MECHANISM FOR OPTIMAL  
SAMPLING OF SOURCE SYNCHRONOUS  
CLOCKING INTERFACE DATA

AMENDMENT

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

CHANGE IN CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS

March 11, 2003  
JP9-1999-0804US1 (590.017)

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Amendment TransmittalAtty. Docket No. JP9-1999-0804US1  
(590.017)

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Pan et al.  
Serial No. : 09/627,372 Examiner : Anh Ly  
Filed : July 28, 2000 Group Art Unit : 2172  
For : METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR PROVIDING NATIVE PHASE  
SELECTION MECHANISM FOR OPTIMAL SAMPLING OF  
SOURCE SYNCHRONOUS CLOCKING INTERFACE DATA

HON. COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

1. ☒ Applicant requests an extension of time to respond to the outstanding Office Action. A Petition for an extension of time is enclosed.
- OR
2. ☒ In the event that an extension of time is required, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.
3. ☐ Small Entity status of this application has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
4. ☐ A verified statement to establish Small Entity status is enclosed.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 CFR 1.8(a)

I hereby certify that this paper (along with any referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on March 11, 2003 with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231.

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5. ☒ Also enclosed: Change in Correspondence Address
6. ☒ No additional filing fee is required.
7. ☒ The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

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				RATE	FEE		RATE	FEE
Total Claims	16	** 20	= * 0	x \$9	=	O R	x \$18	=
Ind. Claims	5	*** 5	= * 0	x \$42	=	O R	x \$84	=
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8. ☐ Applicant encloses herewith a check for \$\_\_\_\_\_ to cover the filing fee.
9. ☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the \$\_\_\_\_\_ filing fee to Deposit Account No. 50-0510.
10. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0510. A duplicate copy of this communication is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: 11-March-2003

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